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| TITLE: FILLED ELASTOMERIC |) | |
| COMPOUNDS AND METHODS |) | |
| FOR PREPARING SAME |) | |

RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
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Sirs:

In response to the Final Office Action dated March 9, 2009 in the above identified application, reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks. Applicants, by the undersigned attorney, respectfully petition the Commissioner for Patents under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the time for filing this Response so that the Amendment and Response filed herewith will be considered timely filed. A Request for Continued Examination has also been filed herewith.

A list of Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.

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